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Dear Sir:

Enclosed are the following papers related to the above-identified patent application:

- Transmittal Letter
- Appeal Brief

This Supplemental Appeal Brief is filed in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief mailed August 3, 2006. The applicants respectfully submit that this supplemental appeal brief overcomes the deficiencies noted in the Notice.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3), please treat this and any concurrent or future reply in this application that requires a petition for an extension of time for its timely submission as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time.

Respectfully,
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